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Application Number: 09/339,059

Art Unit: 3625

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For: METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROCESSES FOR MANUAL,
AUTOMATIC OR REMOTE ONLINE PURCHASING AND LOCAL,
REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL OVER THE COUNTER PURCHASING,
WITH REBATE, SAVING, AND INVESTING PROCESSES

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By Reference documents that will provide further description for
already enabled matter, please accept the attached Information
Disclosure Statement by Application and attached diskette containing
the applications that I wish to incorporate. If there are any question,
please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,



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Incorporated By Reference Documents:

a. Pending Patent Applications –

1. Provisional Patent Application No. 06/063/233 which is the foundation application for the Volume Purchasing Rebate Investing Concept
2. Patent Application No.09/190,152 is the patent application for the Volume Purchasing Rebate Investing Concept, and is undergoing major amendment to bring forth and fully describe all enabled matter contained in the application.

b. Other Patent Applications:

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1	VPRI Module Assembly	<u>13</u>	Incorporate by Reference in their entirety	Prov. Pat. No 60/065,233 & Pat. Appl. No. 09/190,152
2	Bar Codes	12	Bar Code - Universal data input & processing device	6,199,044
3	Smart Cards	15	Internet Smart Cards - User account information on smart cards	6,108,786
4	Relational Database	43	Accessing a Relational Database over the Internet	5,737,592
5	RFID	12	RFID - Inventory system using articles with RFID tags	5,963,134
	Wireless Computer	13	Digital Wireless Home Computer System	6,282,714

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